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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Darin G. Schaeffer et al.

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 1, 2006, Applicants request entry of the following amendments. As explained in the remarks below, Applicants believe the following amendments place the application in condition for allowance.

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